

## SBND code - Idea #23568

### Add support for sbnd\_data to become a git repository and have its own Redmine page

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<p>Currently sbnd_data is not tracked in git, reason being that git is not well supported to track binary files. The sole purpose of this ups product.</p> <p>It also lacks a Redmine page, or it's deeply hidden --I looked--. I don't see why it doesn't or can't have a Redmine page.</p> <p>It is a ups product and a dependency of sbncode.</p> <p>What I'm proposing is to create a git repository of sbnd_data with the usual ups folder and data folders tracked with a tool that tracks metadata and symlinks. This way if there are changes to the data files git status will show that there has been a modification, although not being able to tell what the actual change was.</p> <p>There are two popular open source tools for doing this: <a href="#">git-annex</a> and <a href="#">git-lfs</a></p> <p><a href="#">This wiki entry</a> describes the current method for adding files to sbnd_data.</p>			